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DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

**BOARD OF NURSING** 

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE OF

Administrative Action

Celina Pamplona

IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

**CONSENT ORDER** 

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("Board") upon receipt of Celina Pamplona's application for licensure as a Registered Nurse by endorsement, including voluntary consent to a criminal history background check. Upon review of the results of the criminal history background check, the Board ascertained that the applicant was arrested on May 4, 2013, by members of the Aberdeen Township Police Department and charged with violating N.J.S.A. 2C:20-11 (Shoplifting). On June 5, 2013, the applicant was found guilty of a Local Ordinance Violation in the Aberdeen Township Municipal Court, and assessed fines totaling five hundred fifty-one dollars (\$551.00).

The applicant failed to disclose her arrest and conviction on her application for licensure, answering "No" to the question on the license application which asked if she had ever been arrested and "No" to the question which asked if she had ever been found guilty of any offense. The applicant stated that she made a very poor decision on May 4, 2013, leading to her arrest.

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The applicant acknowledges the arrest and conviction. The Board finds that the applicant misrepresented her criminal history on the application which constitutes a violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).

The Board having reviewed this matter, and having considered the nature and timing of the above conduct, and the parties desiring to resolve this matter, and the Board having determined that the within Order is sufficiently protective of the public, in lieu of further proceedings, and for other good cause shown;

IT IS on this $\frac{379}{13}$	_day of_	July	, 2016
HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED	that:		/

- 1. Celina Pamplona's application for licensure as a Registered Nurse by endorsement shall be granted upon Board review and approval of a completed application and compliance with paragraph two below.
- 2. A civil penalty in the amount of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) is hereby imposed upon the applicant for failing to disclose her arrest and conviction on her application. Payment shall be made by certified check, bank cashier check, or money order payable to "State of New Jersey," or by wire transfer, direct deposit, or credit card payment submitted contemporaneously with this signed Order. Any other form of payment will be rejected and will be returned to the party making the payment.
- 3. The applicant shall obey all the laws of the State of New Jersey, the United States and their political subdivisions, as well as all regulations, rules or laws pertaining to the practice of nursing in any State or jurisdiction in which she practices nursing.

## NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:

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**Board President** 

I have read and understand the within Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms.

Celina Pamplona R

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